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STAFF COUNCIL Newsletter





HELLO AND GOODBYE

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Staff Council would like to congratulate Kevin Rasp, who was elected in May to serve as future president for Staff Council. For the 22-23 academic year, Abigail Walsh and Shelby Bosi-Linton will serve as co-presidents and Emily Brock will transition to her role as past president. Staff Council is grateful to each of you for your leadership and service.

Staff Council would also like to welcome newly elected councilors for each division:

- Fahim Omar, Senior Vice President & President's Office
- Jazzmine Golden, Enrollment, Marketing & Communication
- Michelle Johnson, Enrollment, Marketing & Communication
- Chelsea McKendree, Academic Affairs
- Natasha Begin, Student Affairs
- Anderson Reeves, Student Affairs
- Julie Anderson, Academic Schools
- Pamela Smith, Academic Schools

Additionally, Staff Council extends its gratitude to the following councilors for completing their two years of service: Calene Baldwin, Julie Benvie, Dominique Clayton, Kent Jennings, Dawn Jewell, Jackie McNatt, Emily Neuhauser, Shawn Snapp, and Elaine Surdyke.

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RETROSPECT: A LOOK BACK AT THE LAST YEAR

One of the most significant achievements from the past year was a strengthened relationship between Staff Council and Faculty Council. Communication between the leadership of both councils resulted in the following developments:

- Updated Town Hall format to allow for more time to reflect on information presented and ask questions
- Taskforce for Improving Shared Governance
- Amended bylaw regarding Staff Council leadership structure from president-treasurer-secretary to future president-current president-past president

Additionally, Staff Council continued to lead the monthly Staff Appreciation recognition to celebrate the impactful contributions that Bellarmine employees across campus have made.

As we look forward to the next year, please feel free to submit any suggestions for topics you would like Staff Council to discuss using the <u>feedback form</u>.

GOOD TO KNOW: EMPLOYEE DISCOUNTS

Did you know that Bellarmine employees receive a 50% discount on Camp Valor summer sessions for their dependents? There are more than 70 camp sessions being offered this summer in a wide range of subjects. Camps will be offered June 6 through August 5 for everyone from Mini Knights (Pre-K through second grade) to Squires (high school). Camp tuition covers all materials as well as Camp Valor Swag: T-shirt, water bottle, and stickers. For more information, please visit

bellarmine.edu/ce/youthcamps and if you have questions, please email continuingstudies@bellarmine.edu.

Additionally, there are several discounts offered to Bellarmine employees by off-campus vendors, such as Holiday World and Kentucky Kingdom. For a full list of employee discounts, please visit the <u>Human Resources Benefits</u> page on One.Bellarmine.edu.

FUN IN THE SUN: UPCOMING STAFF EVENTS

In partnership with the Alumni Association, all Bellarmine staff are welcome to participate in the Summer Knights series of events:

- June 9 Knight at the Bats Game
- June 25 Knights of Service, Franciscan Kitchen
- July 9 -Knight at Lou City, Lynn Family Stadium
- August 5 Movie Knight in the Quad
- August 27 Sparks at Knight

For more information about these events, please visit the <u>Alumni Association Events</u> page.